

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of Old, et. al.

Customer No.: 051957

Serial No: 10/599,046

Filed: June 29, 2007

For: **SUBSTITUTED GAMMA LACTAMS AS  
THERAPEUTIC AGENTS**

Group Art Unit: 4131

Examiner: Shterengarts, Samantha L.

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to the Office Action dated May 1, 2008 on the above-identified application.

- [ X] Reply (19 pages)  
[ X] attachment entitled: Maruyama, et. al., Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry...  
[ X] attachment entitled: Michael B. Smith and Jerry March, March's Advanced Organic Chemistry ...  
[ X] attachment entitled: Serial No. 12/049,970...  
[ X] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

<i>CLAIMS</i>	<b>COLUMN A</b> <i>Claims Remaining After Amendment</i>	<b>COLUMN B</b> <i>Highest Number Previously Paid</i>	<b>COLUMN C</b> <i>Present Extra</i>	<i>Rate</i>	<i>Additional Fee</i>
<i>Total</i>	18	20	0	x \$50	\$ .00
<i>Independent</i>	2	3	0	x \$210	\$ .00
[ ] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim x \$280 = \$ .00					
Time Extension Fees:					\$ .00
Total Due:					\$ .00

No Fee is believed due at this time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of extension of time fees or any other fees required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0885.

Date: Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 21, 2008

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